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THE INDIAN MESSIAH

Prophet Co-We-Jo Predicts His Coming Next Spring.

WILD BELIEF OF THE INDIANS.

They Are Looking for Their Great Messiah [illegible] Mount Grant, Nevada, [illegible] Indians Claim is Marked by [illegible] of Numerna, Their First [illegible]

W[illegible], Dec. 1.—The Indian [illegible] to have been located at [illegible] is Capt. Jack Wilson, [illegible] at present in Nevada. [illegible] and his Indian name is [illegible]. This information is furnished [illegible] by a citizen of Elko, [illegible] named John S. Mayhugh. It is [illegible] that other prophets will turn up [illegible], but Mr. Mayhugh thinks [illegible] he recommends to the [illegible] of the department is really [illegible] all the trouble among the Indians. This is what Mr. Mayhugh says:

ELKO, Nev., Nov. 24, 1890.

Hon. T. J. Morgan, Commissioner of Indian Affairs:

Sir—I [illegible] the honor to address you this communication in the best interest of the Indians [illegible] the further fact I have noticed [illegible] number of the newspapers [illegible] statements in relation to the present [illegible] religious Indian excitement as to the coming of the Indian Messiah, and the present residence of the prophet and the point where the Messiah is to appear.

While special census agent of Indians for Nevada I learned of the whereabouts of this prophet, and I deem it not improper [illegible] to address your office upon this, and state briefly a few facts that came under my observation.

First—It is true that most of the Indians are believers in the coming of the Messiah early in the spring.

The prophet resides in Mason valley, Esmeralda county, Nev., close to the Walker river reservation. His name is not Johnson Sides, as [illegible], but Capt. Jack Wilson, known among all Indians by the Indian names of Wevokar, and also Co-we-jo, an intelligent, [illegible] Indian of about 35 years of age, who goes into trances, or seemingly so, from twelve to fourteen hours in the presence of large numbers of Indians upon invitation of the prophet. Upon his recovery he relates to them what he has seen. He tells them that he has been to heaven and that the Messiah is coming to the earth again and will put the Indians in possession of this country; that he has seen in heaven a heap of Indians, some of which are dressed in white men's clothes; he counsels the Indians not to disturb the white folks, saying that the blanket, or rabbit skin, that was put over the moon by the Indians long ago will soon fall off and then the moon, which is now a fire, will destroy the whites.

The Messiah is to appear on Mount Grant, which is a very large mountain and is situated about sixteen miles south of the Walker river agency buildings, and on the west side of the lake. Here is where the first Indians appeared, according to their belief.

I visited this mountain last September in performance of my duty as special census agent of Indians. This mountain is held as a sacred mountain to the Indians, and on it they allege they can see footprints of their first father, Numerna. If I may be permitted to suggest, I would recommend that all the Indians be permitted to [illegible] as I am satisfied they [illegible] send delegations from each [illegible] purpose of ascertaining the truth [illegible] prophecy.

[illegible] of Nevada expect delegations [illegible] of the tribes north and [illegible] and Sitting Bull is expected. The only fear the Nevada Indians have is that the government will interfere with troops. I think if the Indians are let alone [illegible] various agencies the whole thing will die away. All of the Indians here do not believe in the prophet, although [illegible], the chief of Walker lake, [illegible] Co-we-Jo is a prophet, for the reason that he went twice to this prophet [illegible] about water, as it "no rain and Walker river nearly dry up," and upon [illegible] the prophet predicted rain, which really came and saved their crops, hence their belief in this prophet.

Capt. Dave, of the Nevada agency, and Josephus, of Walker river, are better posted upon this Indian craze than any other Indians in Nevada. They are truthful, intelligent and reliable, and would very much like to see their big chief the commissioner. Capt. Dave was very anxious to see you at the time of your late visit to the Nevada agency in Nevada, but he never knew of your coming until you had gone. Agent Sears did not tell him of your presence. Outside of this present religious [illegible] these Indians could give your [illegible] great deal of information the way [illegible] are managed at the Nevada and Walker river agencies that are not always [illegible] by United States inspectors [illegible] few days' visit, no odds how good and [illegible] the inspector may be.

Would [illegible] a good idea to endeavor to get [illegible] prophet Co-we-jo with these Indians to visit Washington. It might have [illegible] this craze, if the visit [illegible] one of business not [illegible] excitement or to interfere with [illegible] prophecies. Yours very respectfully, JOHN S. MAYHUGH.

It is [illegible] that the department will not [illegible] Mr. Mayhugh's suggestion. [illegible] would not find a congenial [illegible] in Washington, and [illegible] any particular good would [illegible] his visit here. The order [illegible] will be carried out, [illegible] step at once [illegible]. It is now [illegible] it [illegible] the Indian [illegible] but the great excitement that [illegible] been worked up in the northwest will not subside until the reservations are fully occupied by troops and some of the Indians put in jail.

Sitting Bull will no doubt be the first victim, and since he is generally looked upon as a bad Indian the Dakota people will approve his arrest and confinement. It is probable that he as well as the rest of the Indians are worse scared than the whites since the invasion of the military, and the ghost dancers will be most willing to abandon all religious manifestations if they can only be assured that they are not all to be hanged and quartered.

Gen. Miles has arrived here to confer with the department officials regarding the situation. He may be able to throw some light on the real cause of the present agitation and to inform the government authorities whether somebody has not taken advantage of a religious craze among the Indians, in which there was originally no sign nor idea of war, to accomplish some ulterior purpose.

When the Indians began to show a disposition to carry things to a dangerous extreme with their ghost dance, Maj. Gen. Miles, in command of the department of the Missouri, asked permission to come to Washington and consult with Maj. Gen. Schofield, his superior officer, and Secretary of War Proctor.

Almost immediately upon his arrival Gen. Miles called upon Gen. Schofield, and had long consultations, both at Gen. Schofield's house and at Gen. Miles' rooms at the Ebbitt house. The conference was resumed yesterday, but just what conclusions have been reached is not known yet, as Gen. Miles denies himself to reporters.

There is no doubt, however, that plans have been outlined for a decisive move against the Indians in case of necessity. It is believed that the extended consultations related less to steps to prevent an outbreak now, as everything possible has been done to this end already, than to plans of campaign in case of a general Indian war.

ALONG THE FRONTIER.

No Danger of Immediate Fighting at the Pine Ridge Agency.

PINE RIDGE AGENCY, S. Dak., Dec. 1.—Quite a furor was occasioned here Saturday night by a report that the troops were to be sent to Wounded Knee to bring in two or three hundred lodges of Sioux Indians now encamped there. This, however, proved a false alarm. No movement of the troops was made. It is now reported that the Indians have promised to come in at once.

All talk of troops marching to disarm Indians is absolute nonsense. They will do nothing of the sort at present, because the Indians have quietly made use of the time allowed to catch their good guns and ammunition. They would offer no objections and have stocked themselves with a lot of worn out muskets and stuff for the sole purpose of being disarmed. Some of the troops will surely be at Pine Ridge all winter.

At 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon Plenty Bear, an old-time friendly Indian, who lives at Wounded Knee, twenty-five miles northeast, came in with an alarming report to Agent Royer. He states there are 361 lodges, being over 2,000 Indians at Wounded Knee and that they had resumed ghost dancing with many warlike accompaniments. He said they formed in regular war dance and were swearing vengeance on the whites.

He also says they have taken an oath to resist interference if it costs the last drop of their heart's blood. Plenty Bear witnessed the dance in person, and said that Little Wound, who visited the agency only Saturday, was among the dancers with all his band. It was further stated by Plenty Bear that their deviltry consisted of burning houses and killing settlers' stock. Great [illegible] of recently slaughtered beef were hourly coming in last night.

Agent Gallagher was interviewed at Chadron last night. He said he was not inclined to accept the proffered responsibility for the present trouble at Pine Ridge. He admitted that during the last days of his administration his discipline was not up to the mark, but claims the laxity was due to political machinations looking to his removal. He charged the authorities at Washington with deliberately breaking faith with the Indians and especially with violating promises made by Gen. Crook and others of the commission that negotiated the treaty of 1889.

At present the greatest difficulty lies in the short rations. Everybody but Royer now seems to court the inevitable investigation. Royer has threatened his employes with dismissal if aught is said by any of them against his course. While there is now no danger of fighting at Pine Ridge, the situation there is still strained on account of the agent's attitude.

The Messiah Craze Spreading.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.—A special dispatch to The Times-Democrat from Paris, Tex., says that information has reached there that the followers of Chief Parker, of the Comanches, and Chiefs Lone Wolf and Black Bear, of Kiowas, on the Kiowa and Comanche reservations, have joined the Cheyennes and Arapahoes, and are now in full force on the Canadian river, where the ghost dance is in progress. The warriors are camped on the southern border of Oklahoma, and are estimated to number 3,000, all well armed. They have plenty of cattle. They are capable of doing much mischief and the whites are greatly alarmed. Chief Parker is believed to have recently had a conference with Sitting Bull, and on his return he began inciting his people to mischief. The craze has also struck the Foxes and Pottawattamies, and it is thought that emissaries are now among the Creeks and Seminoles stirring them up.

Uprising Among the Navajo Indians.

FORT WINGATE, N. M., Dec. 1.—Rumors are current here of a probable uprising among the Navajo Indians. Numerous settlers and ranchers are [illegible] pasture [illegible] It is attracting a number of Navajo Indians into the [illegible] and [illegible] report them insulting and overbearing. They are holding large dances, and it is believed the Messiah craze has reached them. They are even holding their dances near the limits of the post, being led by the medicine men. The ranchers are reporting loss of cattle and horses stolen and attacks on cowboys. Gen. Carr, by his long acquaintance with Indians and his Indian policy, has held them in check, but now that the Sixth cavalry has withdrawn settlers and citizens are very apprehensive.

Troops Ordered from Columbus, O.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 1.—A detachment of recruits from the Columbus barracks started Sunday for the scene of the Indian disturbances. Saturday Col. W. H. Jordan, commanding officer at the barracks, received a telegram from the war department instructing him to prepare and start every available recruit for the west. At 3 o'clock Sunday morning 40 recruits, under the command of Lieut. J. J. Haden, of the Eighth infantry, marched to the depot fully armed and equipped for field service. Their destination is Fort Niobrara, and they are to fill up the Eighth and Twenty-first infantry now in the field against the turbulent Indians.

TRUTH OF THE OLD ADAGE.

He That Laughs Last Laughs Best—Practical Jokers in Court.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 1.—A practical joke perpetrated by several prominent citizens some months ago, has culminated in the circuit court here in a judgment for damages for the victim. Henry W. Bartmess, a farmer, several months ago was seized with an ambition to be put on the Springfield police force. A friend, who was a deputy sheriff in Springfield, promised to use his influence. Some time later Bartmess was summoned to be examined as he supposed by the authorities.

A deputy sheriff personated the mayor and some other citizens fond of a joke represented the police board. Bartmess was made to strip and put through a tedious physical examination and then compelled to jump back and forth over a pile of chairs for an hour. When he was thoroughly used up, the "examiners" told him to go home and wait for his commission. Needless to say it did not come, but as Bartmess was well known about Springfield the stories from town soon reached him. He began suit against the jokers for $5,000 damages. The jury Friday brought in a verdict awarding the farmer damages in the sum of $550 and cost. The latter amounts to over $200.

Well Known Turf Man Dead.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—James D. McMann, the well known turf man, whose name twenty-five years ago was well known in sporting circles, died Friday night at his residence in East Thirty-fourth street. His death was due to inflammation of the brain. McMann was born in this city in 1806. In early life McMann displayed an unusual fondness for horses, and the development and improvement of trotting horses was a special study with him. In 1866 he bought Flora Temple, the celebrated trotter, and under his skilful handling the gallant mare gradually lowered the record until, at Kalamazoo, where she was driven a mile to sulky in 2:19½. McMahon was at one time the owner of the well known pacer Pocahontas, Lady Thomas and other celebrated horses.

A Minister Sent to the Penitentiary.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 1.—The Rev. Simon P. Anderson, an educated and distinguished divine, has for six years been pastor of the Central Baptist, the aristocratic negro church of this city. A year ago he drew from the bank funds belonging to the church to the amount of nearly $1,000, forging the signature of the church clerk to checks. Saturday he was convicted of forgery and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Items of Interest Put in Convenient Form for the Hurried Reader.

Henry Villard has returned from Europe.

At North Anson, Me., Dr. C. H. Smith, while skating, was drowned.

It is estimated the public debt has increased during November $4,000,000.

Two electric street cars in Chattanooga collided in a morning fog. Five persons were injured.

A 4-year-old child of August Springer, of Peru, Ind., fell into a fire and was burned to death.

Easton & Clark, Cincinnati carriage manufacturers, assigned Saturday night. Assets $[illegible]; liabilities $75,000.

A. P. Burks, agent of the Sun Life Insurance company, at Owensboro, Ky., has been arrested on the charge of forgery.

The pension appropriation bill agreed upon by the house committee for next year appropriates for pensions $133,173,085.

A meeting will be held in Chicago Monday for the purpose of organizing the lead silver smelters of the United States into a trust.

Harvey Bader, a farmer living near Camden, O., while out hunting Saturday, shot himself through the hand, and amputation will be necessary.

At Zanesville, O., Saturday, the jury returned a verdict of assault and battery in the case of Washington Greer, on trial for assault to kill Samuel Cox.

William Madison, an insane pauper in the Vermillion, Ind., county poor asylum, has been granted a pension of $72 per month, with $2,000 arrears.

Secretary of Treasury Windom has decided to issue ten, five and one-dollar treasury notes in exchange for treasury notes of larger denominations.

At O[illegible], Ky., Frank Kerrick and [illegible] church repaired to the [illegible] old quarrel [illegible] to death.

[illegible] are rebuilding their efforts to [illegible] park out of the [illegible] absolute suffering for [illegible].

WORK FOR CONGRESS

Important Measures Before Both Branches.

BUT VERY FEW WILL BE PASSED

The Necessary Appropriation Bills Will First Be Considered, Followed by the Pension and Fortification Bills. The First Week Will Be Taken to Outline a Program.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—The second session of the Fifty-first congress will begin at noon today. At precisely 12 o'clock Vice President Morton in the senate, and Speaker Reed in the house of representatives, will call those two bodies to order. The roll will be called and three new members will be sworn in—Wait law, in place of Walker, of Missouri; Hayes, the successor of Conger, of Iowa, and [illegible], who has been elected to the vacancy occasioned by the death of Miller, of New York. Mr. Breckenridge, of Arkansas, will also have to be resworn.

The congress has much important business before it, a very small proportion of which will likely be disposed of before its expiration at noon on the 4th of March. There are the necessary appropriation bills, without which the business of the government would be suspended, at least in part, and the reapportionment bill which has as yet received consideration in neither house, but which the Republicans in both houses have said must be passed at this session.

Then there are many measures of importance on the calendars which have passed one house and are therefore half through the legislative journey. The most important of these is the Federal election bill which passed the house at the first session, and which was resisted in the senate by the Democrats so much that it was necessary for the Republicans to agree to a postponement of its consideration in order to bring about the passage of the tariff bill and an adjournment of the first session.

There is also on the calendar of the senate the National bankruptcy bill which is being pushed by the representatives of the commercial convention; the bill to transfer the revenue marine service from the treasury to the navy department which was debated at some length during the first session, the bill to discontinue the coinage of the $1 and $3 gold pieces, and the Conger lard bill. These measures have passed the house.

On the house calendar are the subsidy and the shipping bills which have passed the senate. A number of other measures of great importance are on the calendars of both houses, which have received final action in neither.

During the coming week action will be taken to outline as nearly as possible the work for the session in both houses. The Republicans in the senate are pledged to the passage of the Federal election bill; but it is a question in the minds of some whether it is possible to pass it against the obstructive tactics of the Democrats, and then the question is raised whether there is any party necessity for its passage now that the elections for the Fifty-second congress are over. The Republican senators will probably hold a caucus during the week to determine what is to be done. There has as yet been no consultation of the Republican leaders on this point.

The first day of the session will be principally devoted to the receipt of the president's message, which will be read at length in each house. It is not unlikely that on the following day the house committee on appropriations will be ready to report one or more of the annual appropriation bills. The pension bill and the fortification bill will be the first to come up for consideration. What will be done to push the appropriation bills forward will be determined in caucus. The Republican caucus has also to determine upon a postmaster for the house, the office having been declared vacant at the close of the first session.

STRANGE COINCIDENCE.

A Would-Be Suicide Meets Her Runaway Husband in a Hospital.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Mrs. Martha Loses, aged 18, attempted suicide on the station of the suburban elevated railroad at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street yesterday evening by shooting herself in the left breast. The wound is considered dangerous, but the doctors have hopes of her recovery.

For a long time the girl refused to give her name as [illegible] was tired of life because she had married a man who proved to be a [illegible] and who had deserted her. By a strange coincidence her husband, Charles Loses, was at the hospital to which she had been taken, under treatment for an abscess. He was much affected when he recognized the bleeding girl as his wife.

Four Prisoners Escape from Jail.

SOUTH [illegible], Ind., Dec. 1.—Great excitement prevailed here all day yesterday over the escape from jail [illegible] night of the four prisoners, among them the [illegible] under sentence of [illegible] Jose, who [illegible] the [illegible] fugitives, [illegible] the [illegible] the escaped prisoners [illegible] capture has [illegible] with a [illegible].

T[illegible]

TACOMA, Wash., [illegible] evening a [illegible] from Portland [illegible] of [illegible] and [illegible] Lean [illegible] and fireman [illegible] train, were killed, two [illegible] were fatally injured, and one [illegible] is missing.

PARNELL A TORY.

Rumor Has It That He Is Going Over to the Other Party.

LONDON, Dec. 1.—Rumor [illegible] that Mr. Parnell has [illegible] consultations [illegible] two [illegible] Salisbury [illegible] Kinnaird, who is known [illegible] the [illegible] Salisbury. No [illegible] on the [illegible] are [illegible] by [illegible] to the effect that [illegible] may be arrived at between Lord Salisbury and Mr. Parnell, the former to pass the land purchase bill, [illegible] in accordance with Mr. Parnell's views, and [illegible] to [illegible] a least partial Home Rule to Ireland, in the form of provincial councils for the administration of the local affairs of the several provinces. This would be satisfactory to Ulster, and allay the strenuous opposition which Home Rule has encountered in that section of Ireland.

Mr. Gladstone and Sir William Harcourt were in consultation [illegible]. It is understood that Harcourt will lead the Liberal side of debate in the house of commons this week.

Considerable interest is felt in the action to be taken on Tuesday by the town council of Edinburgh, Scotland, on the motion to remove the name of Mr. Parnell from the burgess roll of the city. It is [illegible] that the Gladstonian Liberal members of the council show themselves much more accommodating than the Tories in their treatment of the case. The Liberals or a portion of them were in favor of acting on the matter at once, without any time for consideration, and it was only at the instance of Bailie Farmouth, a Tory, that the matter was put over. It is now thought that the council may find some pretext for again deferring action.

Club gossip has it that the Tory plan for taking the best advantage of the disruption of the opposition is to hastily pass the land purchase and tithes bill, and then dissolve parliament and go to the country on a platform made up of these promises: County government for Ireland, an eight hour law for miners, and a royal commission on the subject of a general eight hour law; free education.

Mr. Parnell wired invitations for his colleagues favorable to him to meet him Saturday night at the Westminster palace hotel. Twenty-four members responded. Mr. Parnell discussed his position, and [illegible] those present of his relations with the Liberal leaders, and expressed a determination to fight for the retention of his place.

A canvass of the Nationalist members yesterday showed, not counting the envoys in America, forty-eight against Parnell, twenty-four for him, and seven doubtful.

Mr. Davitt says: "I never doubted that Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien would decide as they have done when the facts in the case were fully before them. It must have caused them much pain to arrive at such a decision, and its weight with the Irish people will be immense. The party has come through the ordeal with the greatest honor. I believe it will remain united and independent. Its claims to the confidence of Irishmen is stronger than ever. I cannot praise too highly the many who, at the risk of having their parliamentary career closed, stood true to Ireland in this trying circumstance. If Mr. Parnell remains in parliament hostile to the Irish party he [illegible] Ireland to [illegible] and Cork will [illegible] Home Rule must not be [illegible] by misplaced generosity."

[illegible] telegram to Justin McCarthy [illegible] as follows: "We are all sorry [illegible] but [illegible] in God's [illegible] and with [illegible] leadership. If he [illegible] party will remain united in [illegible] with the Gladstonians, [illegible] general elections is [illegible] Home Rule is certain. If [illegible] the alliance will be dissolved, the [illegible] Home Rule [illegible] property [illegible] and the tenants hopelessly [illegible]."

Archbishop Walsh's Views.

D[illegible], Dec. 1.—Archbishop Walsh's letter [illegible] a [illegible] with the [illegible] to solicit a more definite statement of his views. He said that his letter was couched in guarded [illegible] Mr. Parnell had not spoken [illegible] Mr. Parnell [illegible] that [illegible] himself [illegible] as a leader will not [illegible] Mr. Parnell [illegible] Mr. [illegible] the [illegible] of the Irish members.

[illegible] Has a Few Friends.

[illegible] Parnell [illegible].

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

The Decree [illegible].

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1.—The prolonged conferences which the [illegible] members of parliament in this country have been holding on the Parnell leadership question were concluded in this city late Saturday afternoon. Five of the six members ask for Parnell's retirement; Harrington, the sixth member, dissents. A manifesto was then written by Mr. O'Brien and sent to London.

OHIO STATE NEWS.

Items Gathered Especially For Buckeye Readers.

MUST GO TO THE WORK HOUSE.

Important Decision in Regard to Conviction for Violation of the Sunday Liquor Law. Still Looking for Campau's Murderer. Other State Dispatches.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 1.—Judge Noble, of the common pleas court, has passed upon an important point of law in giving decisions on several appeals from the police court, for conviction of violators of the Sunday liquor law. In the case of Henry Beatty, the point was raised that the sentence of ten days in jail was irregular, and that the statute required that persons convicted of the offense complained of should be imprisoned in the work house. Hitherto Police Justice Kelly has invariably sentenced saloon keepers to confinement in the jail, instead of sending them to the work house.

The point has never been raised before, but Judge Hutchins, who is Beatty's attorney, brought it to the attention of Judge Noble, and asked for his client's discharge, on the ground of irregularity of sentence. Judge Noble held that the point was well taken, and that the sentence was not according to law. He quoted decisions of the supreme court that bear directly upon his point. The wording of the statute, which says that the defendant "shall" be sentenced to the work house, Judge Noble said, makes it mandatory upon Justice Kelly to send the saloon keepers to that institution. As in Beatty's case there was no claim of irregularity on anything but the sentence the defendant was remanded to the police court, so that he may be sentenced to the work house.

New Incorporations.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 1.—The following articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the secretary of state Saturday: The Columbus Watch company, Columbus, increase of capital stock from [illegible] to [illegible]; the Lancaster Electric Light company, Lancaster, capital stock [illegible]; the New [illegible] Newark, capital stock [illegible]; the Patriotic Order Sons of America, Washington Camp [illegible], Longstreth; the Hill [illegible] club, of Cincinnati, O.; the H. B. Sachs Boot and Shoe company, Cincinnati, change of name to the [illegible] Boot and Shoe company; the Board of Trustees [illegible] Presbyterian Church of North America, Thornville, Perry county.

Still Looking for Campau's Murderer.

FOSTORIA, O., Dec. 1.—Considerable excitement was occasioned here Saturday afternoon by the announcement that Kuhns, the murderer of Campau, had been captured. It was stated he was found at Warsaw, Ind., but a telegram revealed the fact that he is the wrong man, as Kuhns has a fresh bullet wound in his hip. Mayor [illegible] has learned a team and buggy that Kuhns had stolen at B[illegible], Ind., and had sold at Prospect, O. The owner of the buggy identified the property Saturday, but no real clue has been found of Kuhns, although [illegible] are on his track, and [illegible] give up the hunt until he is captured.

[illegible] in Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 1.—Fire fiends were [illegible] and made [illegible]. At [illegible] the fire department was called [illegible] which was damaged [illegible] stable [illegible] George W[illegible] Miller's [illegible] the damage [illegible].

A [illegible] Killed.

[illegible], O., Dec. 1.—[illegible] Wapakoneta [illegible] Richard Chappel, [illegible] Chappel [illegible] on the [illegible] of murder.

[illegible] Burned.

[illegible], Dec. 1.—Fire broke out [illegible] of the steam barge [illegible] yesterday [illegible].

It is thought will not sink. She was owned by R. [illegible] Winslow of Cleveland, and valued at $[illegible]. She was insured.

Sane Man Confined in an Insane Asylum.

LIMA, O., Dec. 1.—A petition is being circulated at [illegible], this county, and has received a number of signatures, asking for the release of Henry Kepler from the insane asylum at Toledo. The friends claim he is a little eccentric but not insane, and that his commitment is an outrage, and made for the purpose of defrauding Kepler of his property.

Ohio Society in New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—The fifth annual meeting of the Ohio society was held at the hotel Imperial Saturday night. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Gen. Wager Swayne; vice presidents, Col. W. L. Strong, Gen. H. L. Burnet, J. Q. Ward, E. N. Hoagland and George Milmine.

The Ripley Suicide a Columbus Man.

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 1.—Ed. Moran, whose body was found in the Ohio river near Ripley, is a Columbus man. He was employed at the watch works here until about six weeks ago, when he was discharged because of drunkenness. It is supposed he suicided from despondency.

Seriously Shot.

OTTAWA, O., Dec. 1.—A man named Toupnet was shot and dangerously wounded by Charles Heaton, Saturday afternoon, near town. Heaton escaped. Both are farmers. Whisky was the cause.

Steamer Ashore.

VICTORIA, B. C., Dec. 1.—During a dense fog yesterday the steamer Costa Rica ran ashore near Race rocks light at the southeast end of Vancouver Island. The fog was too thick to send assistance and no particulars of the wreck can be learned. The steamer is owned by R. Dunsmuir Sons, and was bound to San Francisco with a cargo of coal.

Fire in a Tenement House.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—Sunday afternoon fire was discovered in the lower floor of the tenement house No. 2286 Eighth avenue, occupied by Henry Kistner & Company, as a butcher shop. As the evidence pointed toward incendiary the police arrested Kistner, his wife, son and father, and locked them all up on the charge of setting the fire. The damage was small.

Fortification Plans Stolen.

VIENNA, Dec. 1.—The Australian government is much disturbed over the discovery that fifty plans of the fortifications of Cracow have been stolen. It is feared that the thief will dispose of them to Russia.

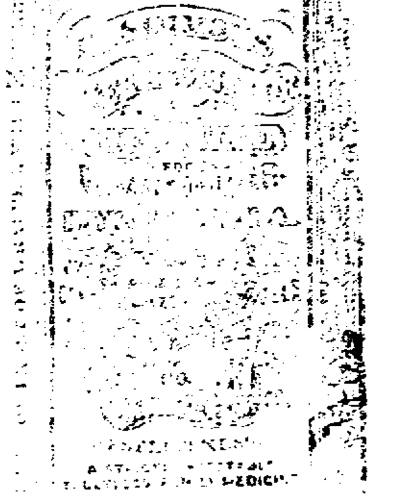
Freight Train Wrecked.

PENDLETON, Ore., Dec. 1.—Near Haystack, last night a freight train on the Spokane branch of the Union Pacific was wrecked, in which the engineer and fireman and Brakemen J. E. Lecker were killed, and J. E. Cameron, another brakeman, was fatally injured. The names of the engineer and fireman [illegible].

It is a Mistake

To try to cure catarrh by using local applications. Catarrh is not a local but a constitutional disease. It is not a disease of the man's nose, but of the man. Therefore, to effect a cure, requires a constitutional remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla which, acting through the blood, reaches every part of the system, expelling the taint which causes the disease, and imparting health.

NO HOUSEHOLD SHOULD BE WITHOUT



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THE Kenton News quotes the Chicago Inter Ocean as a democratic paper. If the Inter Ocean is democratic we should like to see a strong republican paper. We fear the News is not carefully posted on Chicago press matters.

OUR neighbors of Delaware say Marion water consumers pay one third more water rent than is charged there. It is a bit of news that we had not known before, and the reason therefor, if true, will have to be volunteered by some one who knows.

THE infamy of political scheming is apparent in the recent congressional election in Ohio. The republicans cast 362,625 votes and elected but seven Congressman, an average of 51,804 votes to each member, while the democrats cast 351,528 to elect fourteen members, an average of 25,109 votes each. It is but a little of their own medicine in stronger doses for the republicans, however, so the kicking could not be excessive. It is a shameful disfranchisement of voters.

THE Delaware Press is in high glee over an inaccuracy in the report of the bureau of labor statistics and our readers will excuse us if we correct it. According to the bureau's last annual report, Delaware has 124 factories, with a capital investment of $705,000 and employs 815 hands, while Marion is reported to have but 94 factories with a capital of $633,000, employing 802 hands. This tickles the Delaware folks immensely. The STAR is not in possession of any correct data as to number and men, but it has positive information that Marion has more than $1,500,000 of capital invested, without counting the small concerns or the Water Company or the immense railroad yards. Delaware's statistics include the Big Four shops. We can specify to verify these figures. Why, the corporations doing business here alone employ over a million dollars' capital.

A Charming Girl.

He (just introduced)—Perfectly charming night. I have seldom seen the stars look so bright. Are you fond of astronomy?

She—N-o; I have never studied it.

He—You dote on botany, I presume?

She—I never studied that, either.

He—Do you like geology?

She—I don't know anything about it.

He—Ah! You are an enthusiast on one or more of the arts, no doubt—music, painting, sculpture, wood carving or repousse work?

She—I don't know a thing about any of them. I'm a perfect ignoramus.

He—Angelic creature! Will you be my wife?—New York Weekly.

A Great Financier.

Ticks—You remember young Grabber, who went west a couple of years ago, don't you?

Wickles—Yes; how'd he do?

Ticks—Do? Why, simply great. He cleared $5,000 the first year.

W.—I want to know! And how did he do the second year?

T.—Well, the second year he cleared the country.—Boston Courier.

His Failing.

"Why don't you join our athletic club? The initiation fee is only a hundred and the monthly dues only ten dollars."

"I am afraid that I could never be an athlete."

"Why not—shortness of breath?"

"Ah, no; merely shortness of funds."—Texas Siftings.

He Did That Well.

"There is something about your new book that Howells himself could have done no better," remarked a critic to an ambitious young author.

"Indeed!" was the delighted reply. "What?"

"The capitalization of the proper nouns."—Epoch.

Too Cultured.

Mrs. Fangle—How do you like your new maid, Mrs. Jingle?

"Oh, she'd be all right if she were not so overrefined."

"In what way?"

"She never breaks anything but the most costly Dresden china."—St. Joseph News.

Intensely Interesting Literature.

Denby—Who is that fellow who just spoke to you?

Bulby—He is an author who has the reputation of writing literature the interest of which increases with time.

Denby—What does he write, novels?

Bulby—No, mortgages.—Chicago Times.

A Genuine Surprise.

Amy—I suppose, Mr. Funniman, that you get your ideas from different sources?

Mr. Funniman (the well known humorist)—Oh, yes! You'd be surprised to hear where some of them come from.

Amy—Out of your own head, for instance?—Munsey's Weekly.

Foiled.

"No, no," said the Italian count. "Eet ees-a no use; I have a long talk with ze father. I tella heem I have a great vista of possibilities before me."

"And what did he say?"

"He tella me to pulla down my vista."—Washington Post.

An Unpleasant Fad.

Miss De Fad (reading)—The latest craze is to collect handkerchiefs of as many different kinds as possible.

Mrs. De Fad [illegible]—I guess that's what's the matter with our washerwoman.—Epoch.

ON LAKE GALILEE.

SERMON DELIVERED BY REV. T. DE WITT TALMAGE.

The Eminent Divine Continues His Series of Discourses Descriptive of His Trip Through the Holy Land—An Able Production Fully Reported.

BROOKLYN, Nov. [illegible].—Dr. Talmage preached today the tenth of his series of sermons on his Palestine tour, describing his experiences on the lake whose waters were once stilled at the command of Christ. The sermon, which was delivered in the Brooklyn Academy of Music in the morning and as usual repeated before an enormous audience at The Christian Herald service in New York in the evening, was from the text, "He entered into a ship and sat in the sea, and the whole multitude was by the sea on the land."—Mark iv, 1.

It is Monday morning in our Palestine experience, and the sky is a blue Galilee above us in the boat we sail the blue Galilee beneath. It is thirteen miles long and six miles wide, but the atmosphere is so clear it seems as if I could cast a stone from beach to beach. The lake looks as though it had been let down on silver pulleys from the heavens and were a section of the sea of glass that St. John describes as a part of the celestial landscape. Lake Galilee is a depression of six hundred feet in which the river Jordan widens and tarries a little, for the river Jordan comes in at its north side and departs from its south side, so this lake has its cradle and its grave. Its white satin cradle is among the snows of Mount Hermon, where the Jordan starts, and its sepulcher is the Dead sea, into which the Jordan empties. Lake Como, of Italy; Lake Geneva, of Switzerland; Lake Lomond, of Scotland; Lake Winnipesaukee, of America, are larger, but Lake Galilee is the greatest diamond that ever dropped from the finger of the clouds, and whether encamped on its banks as we were yesterday and worshiping at its crystal altars, or wading into its waves, which make an ordinary bath solemn as a baptism; or now putting out upon its sparkling surface in a boat, it is something to talk about and pray about and sing about, until the lips with which we now describe it can neither talk, nor pray, nor sing.

THE PLANET'S PET LAKE.

As sometimes a beautiful child in a neighborhood has a half dozen pet names, and some of the neighbors call her by one name and others by another, so this pet lake of the planet has a profusion of names. Ask the Arab as he goes by what this sheet of water is, and he will call it Tabariyeh. Ask Moses of the Old Testament, and he calls it Sea of Chinnereth. Ask Matthew, and he calls it Sea of Galilee. Ask Luke, and he calls it Sea of Gennesaret. Ask John, and he calls it Sea of Tiberias. Ask Josephus and Eusebius, and they have other names ready. But to me it appears a child of the sky, a star of the hills, a rhapsody of the mountains, the baptismal bowl of the world's temple, the smile of the great God. Many kinds of fish are found in these waters, every kind of tree upon its bank, from those that grow in the torrid zone to those in the frigid, from the palm to the cedar.

Of the two hundred and thirty war ships Josephus maneuvered on these waters—for Josephus was a warrior as well as a historian—there remains not one piece of a hulk, or one patch of a canvas, or one splinter of an oar. But return to America we never will until we have had a sail upon this inland sea. Not from a wharf, but from a beach covered with black and white pebbles we go on board a boat of about ten or twelve tons, to be propelled partly by sail and partly by oar. The mast leans so far forward that it seems about to fall, but we find it was purposely so built, and the rope through a pulley manages to hoist and let down the sail. It is a rough boat, and as far as possible removed from a Venetian gondola or a sportsman's yacht. With a common saw and hammer and ax many of you could make a better one. Four barefooted Arabs, instead of sitting down to their oars, stand as they always do in rowing, and pull away from shore. I insist on helping, for there is nothing more exhilarating to me than rowing, but I soon have enough of the clumsy oars and the awkward attempt at wielding them while in standing posture.

A FRAGMENT OF THE FALLEN SKY.

We put our overcoats and shawls on a small deck in the stern of the boat, the very kind of a deck where Christ lay on a fisherman's coat when of old a tempest pounced upon the fishing smack of the affrighted disciples. Ospreys and wild duck and kingfishers fly overhead or dip their wings into the lake, mistaking it for a fragment of fallen sky. [illegible] that these Bible stories about sudden storms on this lake are true? Is it possible that a sea of such seeming placidity of temper could ever [illegible] rage at the heavens? It does not seem as if this happy family of elements could have ever had a falling out and the water strike at the clouds and the clouds strike at the water.

Pull away, oarsmen! On our right bank are the hot sulphur baths, so hot they are scalding, and the waters must cool off a long while before hand or foot can endure their temperature. Volcanoes have been boiling these waters for centuries. Four springs roll their resources into two great swimming reservoirs. King Herod there treated [illegible] of these [illegible] Josephus and [illegible] describe the [illegible] volcanic [illegible] know about [illegible] long lines of pilgrims [illegible] parts of the earth [illegible] into the [illegible].

Let the boat [illegible] possible and [illegible] western shore of the [illegible] see the city of Tiberias, [illegible] capital of the architecture of which a few mosaics and fallen pillars and pedestals and here and there a broken and shattered frieze remain, [illegible] suggestive of the time when Herod Antipas had a palace here and reigned with an opulence and pomp and cruelty and abomination that paralyzes the fingers of the historian when he comes to write it and the fingers of the painter when he attempts to transfer it to canvas. I suppose he was one of the worst men that ever lived. And what a contrast of character comes at every moment to the thoughtful traveler in Palestine, whether he walks the beach of this lake or sails as we now do these waters!

TWO GREAT CHARACTERS OF THE REGION.

Side by side are the two great characters of this lake region, Jesus and Herod Antipas. And did any age produce any such antipodes, any such antitheses, any such opposites? Kindness and cruelty, holiness and filth, generosity and meanness, self sacrifice and selfishness, the supernal and the infernal, midnoon and midnight. The father of this Herod Antipas was a genius at assassination. He could manufacture more reasons for putting people out of this life than any man in all history. He sends for Hyrcanus to come from Babylon to Jerusalem to be made high priest and slays him. He has his brother-in-law while in bathing with him drowned by the king's attendants. He slays his wife and his wife's mother, and two of his sons and his uncle, and filled a volume of atrocities, the last chapter of which was the massacre of all the babes at Bethlehem.

With such a father as Herod the Great you are not surprised that this Herod Antipas, whose palace stood on the banks of this lake we now sail, was a combination of wolf, reptile and hyena, while the Christ who walked yonder banks and sailed these waters was so good that almost every road of this scenery is associated with some wise word or some kindly deed, and all literature and all art and all earth and all heaven are put to the utmost effort in trying to express how grand and glorious and lovely he was and is and is to be. The Christly and Herodic characters as different as the two lakes we visit and not far apart, Galilee and the Dead sea; the one flower banked and the other bituminous and blasted, the one hovered over by the mercy of Christ, the other blasted by the wrath of God; the one full of finny tribes sporting in the clear depths, the other forever lifeless; the waters of the one sweet and pleasant to the taste, the other bitter and sharp and disgusting. Awful Dead sea! Glorious Gennesaret!

NO DESIRE TO SHOOT ANY ONE.

We will not attempt to cross to the eastern side of this lake, as I had thought to do, for those regions are inhabited by a thieving and murderous race, and one must go thoroughly armed, and as I never shot anyone and have no ambition to be shot, I said, "Let us stay by the western shore." But we look over to the hills of Gadara, on the other side, down which two thousand swine after being possessed by the devil ran into the lake, and bringing down on Christ for permitting it the wrath of all the stock raisers of that country, because of this ruining of the pork business. You see that Satan is a spirit of bad taste. Why did he not say: "Let me go into those birds, whole flocks of which fly over Galilee?" No; that would have been too high. "Why not let me go into the sheep which wander over these hills?" No, that would have been too gentle. "Rather let me go into these swine. I want to be with the denizens of the mire. I want to associate with the inhabitants of the filth. Great is mud! I prefer bristles to wings. I would rather root than fly. I like snout better than wing."

Infidelity scoffs at the idea that those swine should have run into the lake. But it was quite natural that under the heat and burning of that demoniac possession they would start for the water to get cooled off. Would that all the swine thus possessed had plunged [illegible] for to this day the descendants of some of those porcine creatures [illegible] demons, and as the devils were cast out of man into them, they now afflict the human race with the devils of scrofula that come from eating the unclean meat. The healthiest people on earth are the Jews, [illegible] they follow the bill of fare [illegible] in the book of Leviticus [illegible] the human race, and [illegible] Pasteur and [illegible] Koch [illegible] good work of [illegible] system, [illegible] and [illegible] at [illegible] was [illegible] devils [illegible] eastern [illegible]

[illegible] stand [illegible] ret and [illegible] by basalt in the sides of which are caverns, sometimes the hiding places of bandits and sometimes the homes of honest shepherds, and sometimes the dwelling places of pigeons and vultures and eagles. During one of Herod's wars his enemies hid in these mountain caverns and the sides were too steep for Herod's army to descend, and to attempt to climb in the face of armed men would have called down extermination. So Herod had great cages of wood, ironbound, made and filled them with soldiers and let them down from the top of the precipices until they gave signal that they were level with the caverns, and then from these cages they stepped out to the mouth of the caverns and having set enough grass and wood on fire to fill the caverns with smoke and strangulation, the hidden people would come forth to die, and if not coming forth voluntarily Herod's men would pull them out with long iron hooks, and Josephus says that one father rather than submit to the attacking army flung his wife and seven children down the precipice and then leaped after them to his own death.

Now, ye Arab oarsmen, row on with swifter stroke, for we want before noon to land at Capernaum, the three years' home of Jesus. But before arrival there we are to have a new experience. The lake that had been a smooth surface begins to break up into roughness. The air which all the morning made our sail almost useless suddenly takes hold of our boat with a grip astonishing, and our poor craft begins to roll and pitch and tumble, and in five minutes we pass from a calm to violence. The contour of this lake among the hills is an invitation to hurricanes. I used to wonder why it was that on so limited a sheet of water a bestormed boat in Christ's time did not put back to shore when a hurricane was coming. I wonder no more. On that lake an atmospheric fury gives no warning, and the change we saw in five minutes made me feel that the boat in which Christ sailed may have been skillfully managed when the tempest struck it and the wild importunate cry went up, "Lord save us or we perish!" I had all along that morning been reading from the New Testament the story of occurrences on and around that lake. But our Bible was closed now and it was as much as we could do to hold fast and wish for the land.

If the winds and the waves had continued to increase in violence the following fifteen minutes in the same ratio as in the first five, and we had been still at their mercy, our bones would have been bleaching in the bottom of Lake Gennesaret instead of our being here to tell the story; but the same Power that rescued the fishermen of old today safely landed our party. What a Christ for rough weather! All the sailor boys ought to fly to him as did those Galilean mariners. All you in the forecastle, and all you who run up and down the slippery ratlines, take to sea with you him who with a quiet word sent the winds back through the mountain gorges. Some of you Jack Tars to whom these words will come need to "tack ship" and change your course if you are going to get across this sea of life safely and gain the heavenly harbor. Belay there. Ready about! Helm's a-lee! Mainsail haul!

Star of peace! beam o'er the billow,
Bless the soul that sighs for thee;
Bless the sailor's lonely pillow,
Far, far at sea.

Here at Capernaum, the Arabs having in their arms carried us ashore to the only place where our Lord ever had a pastorate, and we stepped amid the ruins of the church where he preached again and again and again, the synagogue, whose rich sculpturing lay there, not as when others see it in spring time covered with weeds and loathsome with reptiles, but in that December weather completely uncovered to our agitated and intense gaze. On one stone of that synagogue is the sculpturing of a pot of manna, an artistic commemoration of the time when the Israelites were fed by manna in the wilderness, and to which sculpturing no doubt Christ pointed upward while he was preaching that sermon on this very spot in which he said: "Not as your fathers did eat manna and are dead; he that eateth of this bread shall live forever." Wonderful Capernaum! Scene of more miracles than any place in all the earth! Blind eyes kindling with the morning. Withered arms made to pulsate. Lepers blooming into health. The dead girl reanimated.

These Arab tents, which on this December day I find in Palestine, disappear, and I see Capernaum as it was when Jesus was pastor of the church here. Look at that wealthy home, the architecture, the marble front, the upholstery, [illegible] in uniform at the doorway. It is the residence of a courtier of Herod's [illegible] Chuza by name. His wife, Joanna, a Christian disciple. But something is the matter. The slaves are in great excitement, and the [illegible] father [illegible] down the front steps and takes a horse and puts him at full run across the [illegible]. The boy of that [illegible] typhoid fever. All the [illegible] have failed [illegible] miles up the country at [illegible] a divine [illegible] and [illegible]

AFTER [illegible]

[illegible] watching the dying [illegible] the countenance [illegible] on one side of [illegible] this [illegible] answer. The [illegible] his delirium [illegible] to eat [illegible] Oh, he has [illegible] young doctor [illegible] But no doctor [illegible] at Capernaum. The [illegible] the sun [illegible] day it is, and [illegible] past [illegible] and 1 o'clock. [illegible] start [illegible] meet the return [illegible] and as soon as they came [illegible] they shout at the top of their [illegible] "Your boy is getting well!" [illegible] says the father. "When did the change for the better take place?" "One o'clock," is the answer. Why [illegible] says the courtier, that is just the hour that Jesus said to me, 'Thy son liveth!' One o'clock."

As they gather at the evening meal what gladness on all the countenances in that home at Capernaum! The mother, Joanna, has not had sleep for many nights, and she now falls off into delightful slumber. The father, Chuza, the Herodian courtier, worn out with anxiety as well as by the rapid journey to and from Cana, is soon in restful unconsciousness. Joanna was a Christian before, but I warrant she was more of a Christian afterward. Did the father, Chuza, accept the Christ who had cured his boy? Is there in all the earth a parent so ungrateful for the convalescence or restoration of an imperiled child as not to go into a room and kneel down and make surrender to the almighty love that came to the rescue?

ACCEPT THE DOCTRINE.

Do not mix up this case with the angry discussions about Christian science, but accept the doctrine, as old as the Bible, that God does answer prayer for the sick. That Capernaum boy was not the only illustration of the fact that prayer is mightier than a typhoid fever. And there is not a doctor of large practice but has come into the sick room of some hopeless case and, in a cheerful manner if he were a Christian, or with a bewildered manner if he were a skeptic, said: "Well, what have you been doing with this patient? What have you been giving him? The pulse is better. The crisis is past. After all, I think he will get well." Prayer will yet be acknowledged in the world's materia medica, and the cry is just as appropriate now as when Chuza, the courtier from Capernaum, uttered in Christ's hearing, "Come down ere my child die!" If the prayer be not answered in the way we wish, it is because God has something better for the child than earthly recovery, and there are thousands of men and women now alive in answer to fathers' and mothers' prayers, myself one of the multitude.

For I have heard my parents tell how, when at three years of age scarlet fever seemed to have done its full work on me, and the physicians had said there was no more use of their coming and they had left a few simple directions to make the remaining hours peaceful, and according to the custom in those times in country places, the neighbors had already come in and made the shroud, the forlorn case suddenly brightened and the prayer "Come down ere my child die!" was answered in a recovery that has not been followed by a moment's sickness from that time to this.

The mightiest agency in the universe is prayer, and it turns even the Almighty. It decides the destinies of individuals, families and nations. During our sad civil war a gentleman was a guest at the White House in Washington, and he gives this incident. He says: "I had been spending three weeks in the White House with Mr. Lincoln as his guest. One night—it was just after the battle of Bull Run—I was restless and could not sleep. I was repeating the part which I was to take in a public performance. The hour was past midnight. Indeed, it was coming near to the dawn when I heard low tones proceeding from a private room where the president slept. The door was partly open. I instinctively walked in and there I saw a sight which I shall never forget. It was the president kneeling beside an open Bible.

"The light was turned low in the room. His back was turned toward me. For a moment I was silent as I stood looking in amazement and wonder. Then he cried out in tones so pitiful and sorrowful: 'Oh, thou God that heard Solomon in the night when he prayed for wisdom, hear me! I cannot lead this people, I cannot guide the affairs of this nation without thy help. [illegible]'" [illegible]

[illegible] FRIEND.

[illegible] Christ [illegible]

[illegible] why was it that [illegible] Christ was [illegible] a [illegible] good [illegible] conduct [illegible] nights on the shores of [illegible]

My [illegible] was the hub of the wheel of [illegible] and art, and [illegible] population [illegible] of the lake [illegible] Capernaum, Bethsaida, Magdala, Tiberias [illegible] villages, the smallest of which had [illegible] inhabitants, according to Josephus, and reaching from the beach back into the country in [illegible]. Houses, temples, [illegible] towers, [illegible] sunlight, baths upon whose mosaic floors [illegible] while this lake, from where the Jordan enters it to where the Jordan leaves it, was beautiful with all styles of shallops or dreadful with all kinds of war galley. Four thousand ships, history says, were at one time upon these waters. Battles were fought [illegible] shocked all nations with the [illegible].

[illegible] God with pure and sparkling [illegible]
[illegible] with [illegible]

Upon these sea fights looked Vespasian and Titus and Trajan and whole empires. [illegible] naval encounters [illegible] of the dead floated to the beach [illegible] was threatened. Twelve hundred soldiers escaping from these vessels of war were one day massacred in the amphitheatre at Tiberias. For three hundred years that nine [illegible] circling Lake [illegible] of our planet. It was to the very heart of the world that Jesus came to soothe its sorrows, and pardon its sins, and heal its sick, and emancipate its enslaved, and reanimate its dead.

STRIKE FOR THE GREAT CITIES.

And let the church and the world take the suggestion. While the solitary places are not to be neglected we must strike for the great cities if this world is ever to be taken for Christ. Evangelize all the earth except the cities and in one year the cities would corrupt the earth. But bring the cities and all the world will come. Bring London and England will come. Bring Paris and France will come. Bring Berlin and Germany will come. Bring St. Petersburg and Russia will come. Bring Vienna and Austria will come. Bring Cairo and Egypt will come. Bring the near three million people in this cluster of cities on the Atlantic coast and all America will soon see the salvation of God.

Ministers of religion, let us intensify our evangelism. Editors and publishers, purify your printing presses! Asylums of mercy, enlarge your plans of [illegible]. And instead of this absurd and belittling and wicked rivalry among cities as to which happens to have the most men and women and children, [illegible] that the more [illegible] people a city has the [illegible] that a city which has [illegible] good people is more to be admired than a city with one hundred thousand bad people, let us take a moral census and see how many good men and good women are leading forth how large a generation of good children [illegible] themselves [illegible] holiness [illegible]

[illegible] Christ, who [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] played by human fingers on strung strings of earthly lute, or by angelic [illegible]

[illegible] save from hell
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And select a pair while the heavy cut is being made on Custom-Made Pants. It is the harvest of bargains in that line, and doesn't cost a cent to look over the goods and note the prices.

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FOR RENT—House on east South street; $10 00 per month.
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FOR RENT Furnished room over STAR office, second floor. Inquire of Dr. Harding.

FOR RENT Furnished rooms at 301 North West street. Inquire at the above number. 5-6

FOR SALE or RENT. A House of five rooms and two thirds of an acre of ground, situated on north Main street. Inquire of Mrs. M. R. Copeland, 135 N. West street. 7-tf.

WANTED A couple good girls. Apply at Marion Steam Laundry. 9 t

—Dr. Hedley's famed humor lecture should draw a crowded house at Music Hall tomorrow night. Dr. Hedley is a stellar attraction in all the big lecture courses of the country.

—Orders have just been placed by the Big Four company for over 400,000 ties on next year's work. A million ties are required in a year on the system, and so rapidly is the available timber being picked up by the railways of the country that a serious problem is presented to supply the demand.

WRECK IN C. AND E. YARDS.

Passenger Train No. 3 Goes off the Rails Sunday Night.

Passenger train 3, on the Chicago and Erie, pulled away from the junction station here on time Sunday night, but when running past the ice house the engine and baggage car became derailed. The engine was thrown across the track, but not upset, the trucks of one end being on one side of the track and the other trucks on the opposite side of the track. The front trucks of the baggage car were also thrown off, but were soon raised back on the rails.

A crew of workmen were brought to the scene of the wreck and the engine raised up on "jacks" and placed on the rails. The train was delayed three hours and forty-five minutes, while the train was being placed on the rails. The cause of the wreck is not known, but it is likely that the track had spread.

M. R. A.

The Marion Relief Society will meet in its room, in Masonic block, Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 2d, at 3 o'clock.

MRS. E. DURFEE, Pres.
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Working People

A [illegible] of labor, but they haven't time to take medicine and lay off. Simmons Liver Regulator can be taken without causing any loss of time, and the system will be built up and invigorated by it. It has no equal as a preparatory medicine, and can be safely used when a doctor cannot be called in. In all common diseases it will, unassisted by any other medicine, effect a speedy cure.

A Financial Matter.

"Good morning," observed the tramp casually, as he stepped in the broker's office.

"S'mornin'," was the reciprocal salutation.

"You're a broker, I believe," continued the tramp, and the broker nodded.

"And a broker is always ready to make a fair legitimate per centum on any transactions he may make as an agent or middle man?"

The broker nodded again.

"Good," said the tramp. "Now I have this plain business proposition to make, to wit: By the last treasury report the total amount of money available for use in this country is $1,425,000,000, which divided pro rata among the people as enumerated by the Porter census—by the way, you think that census is perfectly correct, don't you?"

"Certainly I do," responded the broker with good, strong Republican emphasis.

"As I was saying, this total amount divided on the basis of that enumeration will allow to each person $23.25, and I as duly enumerated am logically entitled to that amount, ain't I?"

The broker nodded.

"Well," continued the tramp, "you just keep the $23 that is coming to me, and give me the quarter, and I'll make you out a quit claim. Is it a go?"

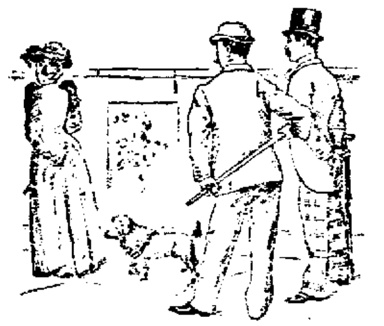
The broker handed over the twenty-five cents.—Washington Star.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev F. M Shrout, pastor United Brethren church, Blue Mound, Kas., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 pounds in weight."

Arthur Love, manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at Flocken's Drug Store. Regular sizes 50 cents and $1 00

The Glass of Fashion.



Chollie—If that woman were the shape she pretends to be how angry she'd be!—Harper's Bazar.

Startling Facts.

The American people are rapidly becoming a race of nervous wrecks, and the following suggests the best remedy: Alphonso Hempfling, of Butler, Pa., swears that when his son was speechless from St. Vitus dance Dr. Miles' great Restorative Nervine cured him Mrs J. R. Miller, of Valparaiso, and J. D Tailor, of Logansport, Ind., each gained 20 pounds from taking it. Mrs. H. A. Gardner, of Vistula, Ind., was cured of 40 to 50 convulsions a day, and much headache, dizziness, backache and nervous prostration by one bottle. Trial bottles, and fine book of marvelous cures, free at Denison & Co and Hoberman & Co. who recommends and guarantees this unequaled remedy.

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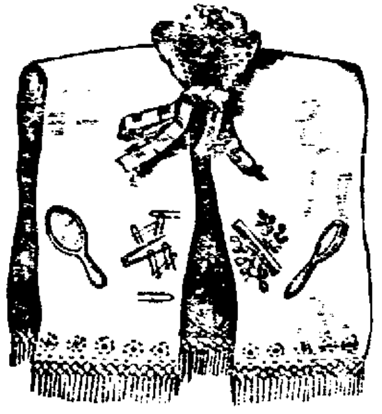
OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS.

HOW THEY CAN BE MADE CHEAPLY AT HOME.

A Combing Towel—An Appropriate Gift for a Young Man—Handsome Case for Photographs—Other Ingenious Devices at Moderate Expense.

[Special Correspondence.]

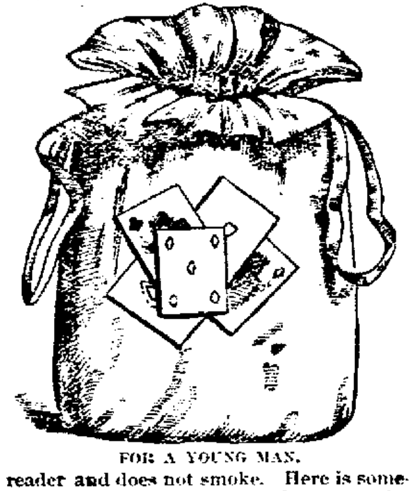
NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—With the approach of Christmas the question of gifts comes uppermost in the mind of nearly every one. Two rules can be safely followed: first, do not give anything you cannot afford; second, do not give for appearance's sake. Those who believe in these rules are the ones to be helped by this description of simple gifts, for poor indeed would be the souls who could not afford to prepare the most inexpensive of them, while no one giving for the sake of looks would take the trouble to make presents.



COMBING TOWEL.

Have you ever seen a combing towel? No? Well, then, you must learn how to make one, and when you have tried this really necessary addition to toilet conveniences you will want your friends to have them. They make acceptable holiday gifts, and can now be bought already cut, stitched and stamped; but it is very easy to make them. Cut a large towel in half crosswise, and one of the parts thus made in half lengthwise. Then lay over the two parts of the second named half the pattern of a waist front, cutting shoulder seams and neck. Let the seams slant to the edge of the towel, even though it makes a longer seam than the pattern calls for. Do the same with the other half of the towel, using the back pattern of the waist. Sew the shoulder seams together so as to leave no raw edges, and face the neck and each side of the front opening. Stamp or have stamped on the front ends of the towel figures of hairpins, comb and brush and hand glass, which are to be worked in outline stitch the color of the towel ends. If these are white use any color. Around the neck and down the front put a soft frill of linen lace, sewing ribbons of the same color as the stitching each side of the neck opening.

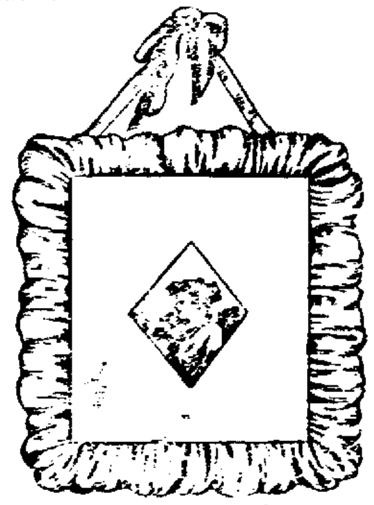
It is difficult to choose gifts for the average young man, especially if he is not a reader and does not smoke. Here is something that will make a good present for him if he plays cards. Get five-eighths of a yard of broad satin ribbon, wide enough to make a bag which will hold a package of cards. Fold it wrong side out and overhand the edges together to within four inches of the top. The bottom can be made square after the bag is turned right side out by pushing in each corner a little and overhanding the satin finely in a tiny seam, perpendicular to the long seams. It can be done on the outside so neatly that it will not show. Turn each side of the top in and stitch so as to make a place for drawing strings. The front of the bag is to be decorated with tiny playing cards made of water color boards, the spots being put in with red and black ink. If one prefers a toy set of cards can be procured and some of them used. Put a good pack of cards in the bag, and to complete the gift attach two tally cards.



FOR A YOUNG MAN.

They are cut out of sheet celluloid, the shape of clover leaves, each card being about three inches wide. Suspend them by tiny ribbons fastened to the stems. On one side of the leaf are cut two slits, and through these passes a narrow ribbon, on which are painted numbers. Over it is printed "Score." On the other side of the leaf is a similar ribbon above which "Games" is written. The center part of the clover leaf is decorated with flowers painted on the celluloid.

An acceptable holiday gift to any one fortunate enough to have a hammock swung somewhere in the house will be a hammock pillow. Make a small square pillow filled with either feathers or excelsior or hair. A square slip of pongee silk which will wash can be cut to fit the seams of the pillow, being finished neatly by machine, the fourth side to be caught with blind stitching after the pillow is in its case. Have a pretty design stamped on one side of the slip to be outlined with wash silk of bright colors. The words "In idle mood," or "A dreamy hammock that [illegible] and sways," may also be stamped in fancy letters and outlined. When this is done and the slip is sewed on the pillow fasten two short ribbons at the center, sewing them through the pillow as well as cover to make firm. With these the head rest can be tied through the hammock meshes in any place desired, and will be found to be a real comfort. It is so annoying to have the pillow fall out of place when one gets into a hammock.



PHOTOGRAPH CASE.

A photograph frame to hang on the wall is made by cutting out two pieces of cardboard several inches larger than a cabinet photograph and making a diamond shaped opening in the center of one large enough to show the picture. Cover each cardboard on one side with pale blue satin, cutting and drawing it neatly through the center opening and over the edges. Make a double puff of blue India silk to harmonize, and when it is ready and has been cut the exact length to go entirely around the outside of the cardboard glue the two satin covered pieces together, inserting the gathered edge of the puff so all will be held tightly. Of course the glue should be put only at the sides and bottom, for the top must be kept free to slip the picture in. Fasten pale blue ribbon at the top to hang the frame up by, and the whole is complete. It will add to the appearance of the frame if the maker can paint a spray of flowers, a butterfly or a few birds on it, but it is quite handsome plain.

The great drawback to knitted or crocheted cord holders is that they sag and grow limp as the ball of cord grows smaller. The holder here described does not do this. It is made of a little Japanese basket, purchased at fancy stores for about three cents. Press the bottom out; it is not woven with the rest of the basket, and when removed will leave an opening at top and bottom. Into the basket put a ball of cord, being careful to get the kind that unwinds from the center. This can be inserted, with a little pushing and squeezing, through one of the openings, and once in will resume its original size. The baskets are so woven that to the outer splints ribbons can be attached. Tie one with long loops to hang the holder up by, and another at the opposite side for ornament. From the same side may depend a very narrow ribbon fastening a tiny pair of scissors. The cord holders may be hung either by the side or top of the basket.

CORD HOLDER.

ANNIE ISABEL WILLIS

SOME WALL STREET PHILOSOPHY.

The Financiers Agree on the Causes of the Trouble.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—It is an agreeable novelty to have an explanation of a financial disturbance which satisfies all parties. Economists of all schools agree that the recent troubles in Wall street and in London were due to a rapid, perhaps too rapid, development of new countries and new lines of trade, which rendered old investments unavailable.

The present condition of the Argentine Republic and its threatened inflation alarmed European financiers; they withdrew their confidence and as far as possible their cash, and so the Baring Bros., carrying immense blocks of Argentine stocks, were forced to the verge of bankruptcy.

A panic is sometimes caused by previous prosperity. There is a great movement for investment, a consequent rise in prices, and therefore a greatly increased demand for money, even for money to do the same volume of business. The rate of interest rises rapidly and checks the tendency to investment. Then there is a reaction, and if it is great enough a panic. This was plainly the cause of the first great panic in the United States—that of 1797. Alexander Hamilton's measures had so strengthened credit that there was an excessive confidence in the rapid development of the country. Hence a rapid transfer of movable capital into fixed capital and a failure to "realize." In that case there was but one remedy—to wait until the country grew up to the investment limits.

From 1797 to 1873 every panic in the United States was preceded by a considerable, and sometimes very great, increase in the volume of bank paper. The natural consequences were rapid rise in prices, great rage for investment, excessive speculation, commercial fever and then collapse. From the close of the second war with England till 1819 the speculation was general, and so the panic of 1819 was followed by a long depression. In 1857 the speculation was chiefly in farm produce; in 1873 in railroad construction. In both cases the cure came through suffering, the people simply toiled on until the country grew enough to honor the drafts the speculators had made on the future.

In 1837-39 all the known causes of panic came together—all the destructive forces were in full operation at once. The banks inflated their currency; the staple crops were short; speculation was excessive; investments in "raw" western lands and city lots went to a degree that now seems like insanity, and individual states projected improvements to cost almost as much as the entire assessment of such states. The legislature of Illinois, for instance, had legalized, and work had begun on, canals and railroads to the value of $100,000,000—more in proportion than $1,000,000,000 in that state now. Wheat in New York city sold above $2 a bushel and was imported.

Jan. 1, 1834, the bank capital of the country was $200,000,000; bank notes out $95,000,000; loans and discounts, $324,000,000. On Jan. 1, 1836, they had been increased to: Capital, $251,000,000; notes in circulation, $140,000,000; loans and discount, $457,000,000. Five "great cities" were laid off in northeastern Ohio alone and the lots sold high. In December, 1835, a fire swept clean fifty two acres of the business part of New York city; within a year the space was covered with larger and finer buildings. The people were mad with speculation. The crash was terrible. Many a poor old man as late as 1870-75 could be heard to sigh over "'37."

The recent flurry in London and Wall street was but a short lived affair, but it illustrates the essential fact that the rapid development of new countries and consequent overconfidence is a powerful cause of panics.

J. H. BEADLE.

To Fasten a Stamp in an Album.

Philatelists object to gumming a stamp in an album in the way it is affixed to a letter. The best way is to get a little strip of thin foreign notepaper and gum it at the under edge of a stamp, then double down the paper like a hinge, and with a tiny drop of gum fasten this paper to the page of the album. The stamp can then be raised, and the water marks at the back can be seen; also it can be easily removed and put on another page without injury.

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The heirs of Charles S. [illegible], of Cincinnati, [illegible] toward a fund to provide free Sunday concerts in [illegible] parks Cincinnati, with the proviso that an additional $2,000 be raised by popular subscription.

Judge Brown, in the United States court at New York, declined to grant a writ of habeas corpus on behalf of Joseph Wood, the negro murderer who is to be electrocuted next week at Sing Sing. An appeal to the United States court was at once taken.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at Flocken's Drug Store.

At [illegible], Ind., Thursday night, Charles McElmer hired a horse and buggy at Marvin's livery and drove to a country ball. While he was enjoying the festivities someone stole the rig, valued at $[illegible].

James A. Skardon, secretary and bookkeeper of the C. H. Bishop Flour company, of Cincinnati, has been sued by the company for the recovery of $3,013 65, which he is charged with converting to his own use.

Promise to Pay Dollar for Dollar.

Pittsburg, Dec. 1.—Johnston, Buck & Company, bankers at Ebensburg, Cambria county, have closed their doors, caused by the failure of R. K. Jamieson & Company, of Philadelphia. They promise to pay dollar for dollar within a year.

For sore throat, Saturate a flannel bandage with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind it on the throat. It will cure any ordinary case in one night's time. For sale by L. H. Flocken & Co., druggists.

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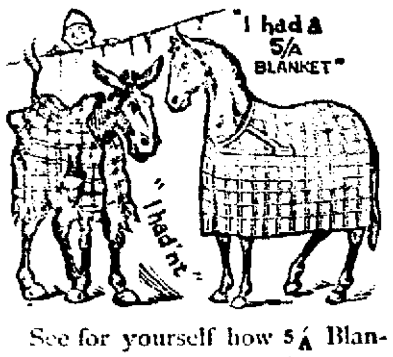
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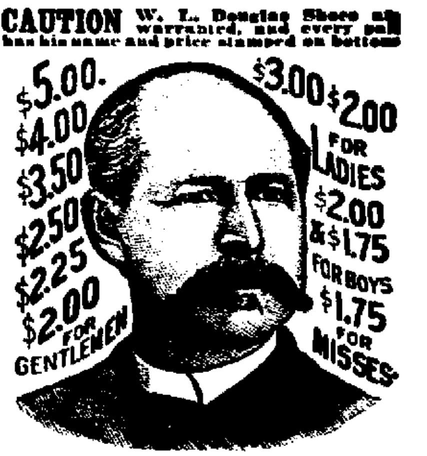

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—Turney's time.

—Cunningham, the plumber.

—LaRue was largely represented in town today, called over by the trial of S. E. Prettyman, of that place.

—The Social Session company Sundayed here, leaving for Bellefontaine via the Big Four Sunday evening.

—Ladies can secure material for handsome Christmas presents by calling upon Mrs. C. P. Gailey. Stamping done to order.

—The case of McGinley against McGinley, a suit in partition, was heard in common pleas court today by Judge Smalley. The case of Prettyman was thereby delayed but the jury was not discharged.

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—Regular meeting of the city council tonight.

—Albert Weber was doing special police duty Sunday.

—O. S. Gross, trainmaster of the C. and E., is in the city today.

—Henry Ackerman is attending to business in Delaware today.

—Delbert Sauters left this morning for Lima to visit for a few days with relatives.

—Hilton Biegle returned Sunday night to Delaware, where he is attending college.

—Miss Grace Gormly, of Bucyrus, is in the city, to remain for the Young-Penney nuptials Wednesday.

—The Samuel Uhl farm of 172 acres, in Claridon township, was sold at sheriff's sale Saturday to George Roberts for [illegible].

—Mrs. Nellie Hedgestreth, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Leiffer since Thanksgiving, returned to her home in Columbus today.

—Ladies of Marion will please remember that Mrs. C. P. Gailey is prepared to supply them with stamping embroidery silks, stamped linens, etc.

—The Marion live stock buyers are shipping to Chicago now instead of New York and Buffalo, as the prices are better in the West than they are in the East.

—Lafe Earley is gaining strength after his long seige of sickness, at his home in Mt. Gilead, but it is not known how soon he will be able to return here.

—Webster Chandlee, general agent of the Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., of New York, is in the city, and is giving an exhibition of the Gamewell system of fire alarm at the engine house. With this and the Gaynor on exhibition in the Fisher block, council will have two excellent systems to examine.

—Miss Allie Goss, of Dayton, is the guest of Miss Lottie Lutz, on [illegible] East street.

—[illegible] of Delaware, [illegible] Saturday night to take [illegible]

—Miss Effie Mapes, teacher at [illegible] returned this morning from a [illegible] with friends at Bucyrus.

—Mrs. H. D. Morrell returned to Bucyrus this morning, where she has been [illegible] relatives since Thanksgiving.

—Bucyrus Telegraph: Mrs. Charles H[illegible] to Upper Sandusky [illegible] Marion to spend a week with relatives and friends.

—Leading authorities say the [illegible] proper way to treat catarrh is [illegible] a constitutional remedy [illegible] Sarsaparilla.

—[illegible] Shaw [illegible] in the city. Mr. [illegible] remain of a crew of painters working on the Big Four.

—Mrs. H. Barr [illegible] to remain [illegible] days. Mr. Barr [illegible] Christmas [illegible]

—Fies & Ballentine [illegible] attention to the special [illegible] California wines that they have just received. They are extra [illegible] home use. [illegible]

—Huntington [illegible] that Master [illegible] H. F. [illegible] of the [illegible] and [illegible] Calvin Sampler [illegible] gines, will be [illegible]

—The change of proprietors [illegible] and E. eating house [illegible] John Breen taking charge of the [illegible] at noon. Mr. Breen formerly [illegible] Erie eating house at Dayton.

—Three C. H. V. and T. [illegible] containing 125 members of the Ohio National Guards, transferred here Sunday and [illegible] for the West [illegible] trouble.

—Mr. [illegible] of the firm of H[illegible] & Cook, of Urbana, was in the city this morning prior to [illegible] inspection tour of the C. and [illegible]. His firm is constructing stone bridges along the entire line of that road.

—The city is full of canvassers who go from house to house, selling as many different articles as the proverbial leaves are numerous. This is given as news, for a little acquaintance with these strangers is seldom of any avail.

—Bucyrus Telegraph: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tobias and son and Mrs. L. H. Ross of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hall, of Findlay, spent Thanksgiving at Marion, to join in the celebration of Mrs. G. H. Wright's birthday and to assist in the demolition of a thirty-eight pound turkey.

—A very good Saturday night audience witnessed the production of "A Social Session" at Music Hall Saturday night. [illegible] the singing to a high degree. The third act was immense and showed the clever people in the company to a good advantage. The entire audience seemed perfectly satisfied.

—The B. R. L., which is the well known Brotherhood of Rejected Lovers and who are the active members of the Night Owls, will give a dance at City Hall Wednesday night, in which all brethren are expected to participate. It is to be made an event that will be highly enjoyable. The splendid [illegible] Orchestra of Upper Sandusky will furnish the music.

—Prospect [illegible] Marion [illegible] wedding—[illegible] was in [illegible] Friday on business.

—[illegible] W. Criswell, [illegible] George Clement, [illegible] were notified to appear before Mayor Dudley this morning at [illegible] to answer to the charge of keeping their places [illegible] Sunday in violation of the Sunday ordinance. [illegible] They were fined $5 [illegible] each.

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